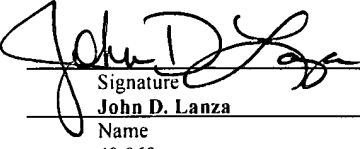


<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER <b>0888888-3063</b>
		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) <b>To be assigned</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/GB2004/003924</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>September 14, 2004</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>September 19, 2003</b>
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>DEBLISTERING APPARATUS</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>Andrew PARKER, et al.</b>		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>3. <input type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.</li> <li>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).</li> <li>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).  <b>Publication WO 2005/028315 A1 (23 pp., including front pages)</b></li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> </ol> </li> <li>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendment has NOT expired.</li> <li>d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).</li> <li>9. <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. (c)(4)).</li> <li>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).</li> </ol> <p><b>Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11. <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. ) (<u>6</u> pp.)</li> <li>12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</li> <li>13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment. (<u>10</u> pp.)</li> <li>14. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.</li> <li>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</li> <li>16. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.</li> <li>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.</li> <li>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li>20. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information:           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> PCT Request ( pg.)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Notification of International Application No. and Filing Date ( pg.)</li> </ul> </li> </ol>		

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21. The following fees are submitted: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a) Basic national fee ..... \$300.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b) Examination fee..... \$200.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> c) Search fee (International Search Report prepared by an ISA other than the US)..... \$400.00  <b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b> ..... \$900.00				<b>Applicant use</b> \$ 300.00 \$ 200.00 \$ 400.00 \$ 900.00	<b>Office use only</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.					
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23 - 100 =	0/50 =	0	x \$250.00	\$	
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Total claims	23- 20 =	3	3 x \$50.00	\$ 150.00	
Independent claims	2 - 3 =	0	0 x \$200.00	\$ 0.00	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			NO	\$360.00	\$ .00
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				\$ .00	
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b>				<b>\$ 525.00</b>	
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<b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>				<b>\$ 525.00</b>	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property				\$ 0.00	
<b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b>				<b>\$ 525.00</b>	
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Dear Sir:

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Enclosed herewith please find the documents listed below:

1. Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning a Submission Under 35 U.S.C. § 371 (**3** pgs);
2. Copy of Published International Application WO 2005/028315 A1 (**23** pgs);
3. Preliminary Amendment (**10** pgs);
4. Copy of the International Search Report (**2** pgs);
5. Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$525.00 representing the Filing Fee for new '371 application; and
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27, Applicant claims small entity status.

Please charge any additional fees associated with this filing, or apply any credits, to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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